

REMARKS

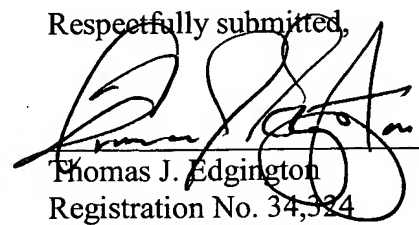
The Official Action provides that "restriction to one of the following inventions is required under 35 U.S.C. § 121:

- I. Claims 1-18, drawn to the products such as a holder, classified in Class 206, subclass 701 and others.
- II. Claim 19, drawn to a method for transporting a removable memory component for a portable electronic device, classified in Class 53, subclass unknown."

Responsive to this restriction requirement, Applicant elects Group I (claims 1-18). Claim 19 has been canceled without disclaimer or prejudice. Applicant expressly reserves the right to pursue patent protection for the subject matter of claim 19 in a continuing application.

Examination of the subject application and issuance of a Notice of Allowance at an early date are earnestly solicited. However, if the Examiner has any remaining concerns regarding Applicant's present response to the restriction requirement, he is invited to contact the Applicant's undersigned attorney at the telephone number listed below so that those concerns may be expeditiously addressed.

Respectfully submitted,



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